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10. [] Talked with Boyd Crawford and Al Westphal, House Foreign Affairs Committee staff, and they explained the House rules and procedure whereby an appropriation act can be brought to the floor for a vote prior to the act authorizing the appropriation.

Mr. Westphal also advised that S. 1785, which would have limited visits of Government employees to dependents stationed away from the employees' stations to two a year, has been broadened to authorize trips not to exceed the equivalent of two trips per year to the District of Columbia. Westphal said this has been agreed to by the House Committee and that Committee had in turn been informed that the Senate Committee would approve this. Mr. Bannerman has been advised of this.

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11. [] George Murphy, Joint Committee on Atomic Energy staff, called mentioning the LIFE article []. He said he wanted to have it clear that we were refusing to give information on the case. I again told him that my answer was the same as given him yesterday, that it was too early for us to respond since when we did respond we wished to have confidence in the accuracy of our information. Mr. Murphy was obviously unhappy about what he termed our lack of cooperation. Admiral Taylor advised later that Murphy apparently had gone to the AEC who had suggested to Admiral Taylor that the information in the Director's memos to USIB be made available to JCAE. Admiral Taylor informed them that this would not be possible.

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